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THE FOURTH OF JULY. In the good old Democratic times when "niggers had no rights that white men were bound to respect," was usually celebrated as the "colored people's fourth."

A REFORM TICKET.

We laugh at the Egyptians for worshipping a cat; but after thousands of years of progress, there are men who contend that the best use we can make of our intellect and experience in local political affairs is to bow down in adoration before the altar of conventions whose priests are scoundrels and ruffians, and whose nominees seek power only to disgrace, wrong, and plunder the people whose suffrages they solicit.

We see, however, many signs that the limit of public endurance has been reached, and that the people are ripe for the most righteous of all rebellions, a rebellion against the edicts of disgraceful and dishonest conventions. On the street, in the counting-house, and wherever men assemble together, they discuss this topic only to inform each other of additional outrages, and to express a fervent hope that some means will be devised for their deliverance from an oppression that has become insupportable.

The Republican press is much more outspoken. The Inquirer demands the defeat of the renominated Republican legislators, and earnestly favors the organization of a reform party. The Post continues its earnest and vigorous opposition to the obnoxious Republican nominees. The Bulletin asks for "a new nomination in every legislative district which has put up an old member for re-election."

The practical question is, how can a reform be effected? Various suggestions have been made. One correspondent writes as follows: "Editor Evening Telegraph:—Will you support an independent ticket, made up of names from both parties, such as you would recommend to the respectable portion of the community? I ask the question in all sincerity, because you have spoken some brave words against the rascality of the 'ring' in your own party, and because such a course is the only one that can eventually defeat the system you now control matters in both parties. You can rely upon the support and co-operation of thousands of Democrats who have sufficient self-respect left to refuse to vote for such characters as Ahern and the rest of the hatch. Let the people hear from you."

Another, after giving a vivid picture of the evil results of continued submission to "roughs and outlaws," says:—"Is there no remedy? I have not a doubt that the mass of voters would not only vote for good men, but are anxious to do so, and would vote an independent ticket fully and cordially."

Another correspondent suggests that the leading Republicans and Democrats of the city should cordially unite in recommending a ticket composed, in equal proportions, of men of both parties; and he thinks that committees appointed by the Union League and

the Democratic Association at Ninth and Arch could discharge this delicate duty in a satisfactory manner. Another suggestion is that popular men of high character should be placed in the field for the lucrative Row offices, with the understanding that they would devote a large portion of their fees to the expenses of the proposed reform movement. Another correspondent suggests city and ward organizations pledged to vote for the best men on either of the present tickets, without reference to their political opinions. Up to this time no comprehensive plan of action appears to have been devised; but, in the present state of public opinion, any honest, sincere, and well-organized reform would exert a salutary influence, and achieve, in many respects, a substantial success. Every citizen should resolve to give his vote to no candidate who is notoriously unworthy of support; and since the rascals in the rings, in both parties, constantly combine to cheat the public, it will be strange indeed if the honest men of both parties cannot effectively combine to defeat the schemes of the rascals, and to elect officials who will neither defraud nor disgrace the community.

The question of doing away with all patent laws is being seriously agitated in England, and some of the most influential journals are strongly in favor of abolishing the whole system, on account of the corruptions and abuses that have grown up about it. It certainly seems reasonable and right that the originator of an important and valuable invention should be able to obtain a reward proportionate to the benefit that is conferred upon the community. It is argued, however, that in a great majority of instances the original inventor receives almost nothing, and that valuable improvements fall into the hands of speculators and monopolists, to the damage of the public interests. In other cases inventors receive rewards out of all proportion to the good done to the community at large. It is certain that there are abuses in the patent system of this country as well as in that of England; and while, perhaps, it would be scarcely just to do away with the patent laws altogether, it is worthy of consideration whether some modification might not be made to advantage. The very decided manner in which some of the most liberal English journals have spoken in favor of the abrogation of the patent laws shows that there is an urgent necessity for reform in that country at least.

THE GRAND JURY which has just closed its labors gave vent to a little spite in its last hours. It appears that some of the strictures which have been made upon its doings by the public press of the city have not been altogether palatable, and hence it propounded to Judge Ludlow the query:—"Can the Grand Jury take official action against the proprietors of public journals for the publication of articles which, in their judgment, reflect unwarrantably upon themselves or upon the Court?" The "good men and true" who composed the Grand Jury probably thought that the addition of the grievances of the Court itself would materially strengthen their own cause of complaint, and enlist the sympathies of the judge in the anti-newspaper crusade. But Judge Ludlow appeared to think that the Court had no cause of complaint, and as for the Grand Jury, he curtly informed that body that its powers "are by no means so great as is supposed." The "good men and true," on the strength of this unfavorable opinion, very wisely concluded to let the abusive newspapers go unwhipped of justice.

Mrs. GENERAL GAINES, it seems, has not yet succeeded in obtaining possession of her property in New Orleans, to which the Supreme Court of the United States declared her entitled about a year ago. For nearly forty years Mrs. Gaines prosecuted her suit with unflinching patience, and the estate of her father, Captain Daniel Clark, to which she was finally declared to be the rightful heir, is estimated to be worth about \$30,000,000. The land is occupied by nearly the whole of the city of New Orleans, and the decision of the Court, therefore, is a serious inconvenience to a great number of persons. Owing to the peculiar circumstances of the case, Mrs. Gaines offered to arrange with some of the present holders of her property on equitable terms, but more than eighty persons have combined to bring suit against her, and have compelled her to go into court again. There is no doubt that the lady will eventually succeed in getting her own, but it certainly seems that when a case of this kind has gone through all the courts, and a final decision given by the highest tribunal in the land, that there ought to be some means of enforcing the law.

IN RESPONSE to General Prim's announcement to the Cortes, a day or two ago, that the Government of the Regency did not contemplate a coup d'etat, we receive news by the cable this afternoon of formidable Carlist demonstrations in Vittoria, Carthagena, and Valencia. At Vittoria the disturbances were of a very serious character, the Alcalde being killed and a large number of citizens wounded. If the Regency does not decide upon a coup d'etat of some sort before many days, it will find itself overthrown by a coup d'etat of the people.

RADICAL "SPYS."—The New York World has discovered a new enormity to lay at the doors of the dominant party, which it has designated "Radical Spys" (y short), for want of a better name. It is sufficient to say that this fresh iniquity is a sort of grand climax and consummation of all the old iniquities. "A Radical Woman," strange as it may appear, assisted the World in making the discovery.

SELF-SACRIFICING.—The anxiety to serve one's country in some public capacity is not confined to the United States. A new office was recently created in England—that of Chief Constable of the West Riding of Yorkshire—with a salary of \$2500, travelling expenses, and a yearly allowance of \$350 for a horse. There were fifty applicants for the position.

JUBILEE GILMORE—we trust none of the Boston papers will take offense at our familiarity with a \$25,000 house and \$20,000 from a benefit concert, as compensation for conducting and successfully managing the great hubbub that has ever been raised at the Hub or any other place. This is pretty good pay for a few months' work. The jubilee business will doubtless be remarkably popular and brisk for a time, in consequence, until, like all other sensations, it is finally run into the ground.

AN OLD ADAGE VERIFIED.—An old adage declares "that it is as ill wind that blows no good." This has had a singular as well as perfect verification within the past few days. A convention of modern Democrats is at best but an endurable evil, but conventions composed of such men as recently assembled in the various parts of our city, pretending to represent the Democratic party, inaugurated as they were amid confusion, and conducted with violence, even to bloodshed, and perhaps loss of human life, are burning diabolism upon the character of our city and a humiliating spectacle to every well-wisher of our institutions. And yet, with all their evil, pernicious examples, and consequences, they produced one good result, for it is a notorious fact that, during their sittings, our street corners, particularly Ninth and Chestnut streets, were almost entirely free from longers, swaggers, rowdies, gamblers, pickpockets, and thieves, so that ladies venturing out were not in imminent peril at every corner of being insulted by look, word, or deed; and pocket-books, watches, and other valuables possessed double insurance against unwarrantable removal. So that, on the whole, it might be profitable investment for our city authorities if they could induce the same conventions of the Democracy, and thus rid the corners of the presence of the abominable characters that threaten to congregate. His Honor the Mayor's attention is respectfully directed to this suggestion.

"HUMPTY DUMPTY" RECONSTRUCTED.—We are gratified to be able to state that, in consequence of our criticisms on the subject, the offensive features that were introduced into the pantomime of Humpty Dumpty, now being performed at the Arch Street Theatre, have been removed, and we have been assured that there will be no further cause for complaint. An entertainment of this kind can be as funny as the greatest lover of fun can desire, and yet be entirely innocent; and if it is not innocent, it has no right to be performed. It is not worth while for managers and actors to say that the public desire such and such things, and, therefore, they are obliged to cater for the public taste. The theatres have no right to produce nastiness on the stage; and if they cannot pay expenses without, they should be compelled to shut up shop rather than that such things should be permitted. Humpty Dumpty is as good an entertainment as can be desired for a season of the year, and if properly conducted there is no reason why it should not be a source of legitimate amusement to the public, and profit to the managers, and we are glad to see that the voice of public opinion has been so promptly respected in the matter referred to.

RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

- TRINITY M. E. CHURCH, EIGHTH STREET, above Race. Rev. W. HUMPHRIES, Pastor, at 10 1/2 A. M. Strangers invited.
ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, THIRD STREET, below Walnut. Service to-morrow at 10 1/2 A. M. by Rev. J. HARRISON. Prayer meeting Saturday evening.
WEST SPRUCE STREET CHURCH, corner SEVENTEENTH and SPRUCE STREETS. Rev. W. P. BERRY, D. D., will preach a sermon appropriate to the Fourth of July to-morrow at 10 1/2 A. M.
REV. THOMAS X. ORR, PASTOR OF FIRST CHURCH, will preach to-morrow (Sunday) Morning at 10 1/2, and Evening at 8 o'clock.
NORTH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, SIXTH STREET, above Green. Service to-morrow (Sunday) Morning at 10 o'clock. By Rev. JOSEPH E. BERG, D. D. No morning service. Strangers welcome.
FREE UNITARIAN CHURCH, CORNER ELEVENTH and WOOD STREETS. The Pastor, Rev. WILLIAM H. THORNTON, preaches to-morrow at 10 1/2 A. M. Service for the summer commencing.
NORTH BROAD STREET PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, corner of Green. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. Dr. STRYKER, to-morrow, at 10 1/2 A. M. on "National Independence." At 8 P. M., "A Man and Fifty Spoken." Strangers welcome.
"WORDS OF '76"—WHAT MADE THEM A SUCCESS? "The Gospel grandeur" at 10 1/2 A. M. on "National Independence." At 8 P. M., "A Man and Fifty Spoken."
CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, corner EIGHTH and CHERRY STREETS. Rev. WILLIAM HENRY GREEN, D. D., of Princeton, New Jersey, will preach to-morrow (Sunday) Morning at 10 1/2 o'clock, and Sabbath morning during the months of July and August.
TABERNACLE BAPTIST CHURCH, CHESTNUT STREET, west of Eighteenth. Rev. G. A. FELTZ, Pastor of the Church, will preach to-morrow (Sunday) Morning at 10 1/2 o'clock. Sabbath morning during the months of July and August.
PUBLIC WORSHIP.—BARTRAM, THE Botanist, in his delightful garden on the banks of the Schuylkill, the frequent resort of Philadelphians, and a most beautiful and comfortable place for the celebration of the Fourth of July, with this inscription, carved by himself:—"Greater infirmities, the only Lord, I will be one of a company to form a society, to meet on Sunday for public mutual edification, adopting the above motto."
SPECIAL NOTICES.
POST OFFICE. MONDAY, July 3, this office will close at 11 P. M. The usual early delivery and late night collection will be made. H. L. HENRY, J. BINGHAM, P. M.
OFFICE AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY. PHILADELPHIA, Pa., July 3, 1899. A general meeting of the Stockholders will be held at the Office of the Company on July 14, at 12 o'clock. ROBERT J. MEIG, Secretary.
THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE PHILADELPHIA AND CARLISLE COAL MINING COMPANY will be held at their office, at No. 111 WALNUT STREET, at 12 o'clock M. on TUESDAY, July 12. J. M. PEEL, Secretary.
NINETY-THIRD ANNIVERSARY OF AMERICAN INDEPENDENCE. The annual meeting of this Society will be held at AUGUSTINE'S, No. 115 WALNUT STREET, on MONDAY, July 3, 1899, at 10 o'clock A. M. Members of other State Societies who may be in the city on that day are invited to dine with this Society at the above-named place at 5 o'clock P. M. HARRIS, Secretary. Philadelphia, June 26, 1899.
DEMOCRATIC ASSOCIATION OF PENNSYLVANIA, No. 901 and 903 ARCH STREET. The National Anniversary will be celebrated by this Association on MONDAY, JULY 3, AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M. Reading of the Declaration of Independence by THOMAS MAY PERCIE, M. A. Oration by S. E. MEGARGRE, Esq. A Band of Music has been engaged. The members of the Association and the public are cordially invited to participate.
DEDICATION OF THE WASHINGTON STATE. July 3, 1899.—The State of Great Washington, to be presented to the city by the Washington Monument, will be placed in position, and dedicated to the city, with appropriate ceremonies, on MONDAY (July 3) at 10 o'clock A. M. Judges of the Supreme Court, District Court, Court of Common Pleas, Justices, Clerks, Deputies, Teachers, Pupils of the Public Schools, the Mayor, Heads of Departments, Members of Select and Common Councils, Military, and other officials, and all associations bearing the name of Washington, are invited to participate. WILLIAM B. HANNA, Chairman of Committee.

HOW THE FOURTH OF JULY WAS MADE. In seven hundred seventy-six our fathers found themselves in a fix. All on account of British tricks. Which were played on our infant nation. For the British people laid a tax On the goods our fathers wore on their backs, And tea, and soap, and sugar, and wax, Which filled them with desperation. And so our fathers, don't you see? Tossed the chests of taxable tea Into the depths of the briny sea. With all the tea that was in them. And, moreover, as everybody knows, They said they wouldn't wear British clothes, But dress themselves in such as those Which our mothers could knit and spin them. And they declared, the Fourth of July, That, if it be, they were willing to die, And this was the glorious reason why, To establish the nation's freedom!

Hurray! say we, for our fathers' grit! Hurray! for our clothes that are sure to fit! Hurray for ROCKHILL & WILSON! That's it! They make CLOTHES for all who need 'em! Patriotic Fellow-citizens!—If you burst your raiment with the exuberance of the joy with which you celebrate the noble deeds of our forefathers, remember that you can get plenty of the finest and cheapest clothing, such as our forefathers never saw, and our forefathers never made, at the

Great Brown Stone Clothing Hall or ROCKHILL & WILSON, NOS. 603 AND 605 CHESTNUT STREET, PHILADELPHIA. WESTON & BROTHER, MERCHANT TAILORS, S. W. Corner NINTH and ARCH Sts. PHILADELPHIA.

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PERRYVILLE STATION, PENNSYLVANIA, 1899, June 13, 1899. Messrs. FARRER, HERRING & Co., No. 629 Chestnut street, Philadelphia. Gents:—A persistent but unsuccessful effort was made on the night of May 29, 1899, to drill the Banker's chest received from you a few months ago. From facts that have come to our knowledge, it is evident that the attempt to open it was renewed on Sunday evening following. Finding all efforts to drill it useless, the effort was then made to break the lock. The hammering was heard by parties in the neighborhood for several hours, but supposing it to arise from the railroad men replacing a defective rail, excited no alarm. The tools, with the exception of the drills, were left. It is evident that they were not only prepared, but perfectly familiar with the construction of your Chest. That they failed in another evidence that your Banker's Chests are what you claim for them, Burglar-Proof. Respectfully yours, J. BALSBACK, Agent. 615 4p

INAUGURATION OF THE WASHINGTON STATUE. THE PUPILS OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF THE CITY OF PHILADELPHIA. Desirous of taking part in the inauguration of the STATUE OF WASHINGTON, on July 5, will assemble To-morrow (Saturday) Afternoon, 8 o'clock, at 3 1/2 P. M., AT CONCERT HALL, CHESTNUT STREET, ABOVE TWELFTH, FOR REHEARSAL. By order of Committee. G. F. GORDON, WASHINGTON J. JACKSON, HENRY MATHER, JOSEPH COOPER, JAMES FERRERSON. 7 1/2 c

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REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION. PHRENOLOGICAL SALE.—ON THE PREMISES, Thomas & Sons, Auctioneers.—On July 4, 1899, at 10 o'clock, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, the following described property:—No. 1.—A lot of ground, occupied as a coal yard, fronting on Washington and Jefferson streets, and extending to the rear of the lot on Chestnut street, containing 20,000 sq. ft. of land, and in depth 125 feet. No. 2.—Building Lots—6 desirable building lots, each of about 1/2 acre, situated about one mile east of the city, on the Philadelphia and Camden roads. No. 3.—A lot of land, known as "Domremy," about 1/2 mile from Berlin Depot, divided into 12 tracts, each of about 1/2 acre, adapted to the growth of cranberries, truck, and fruit. Within 2 miles of Marl. No. 4.—Tract of Land, known as "Domremy," about 1/2 mile from Berlin Depot, divided into 12 tracts, each of about 1/2 acre, adapted to the growth of cranberries, truck, and fruit. Within 2 miles of Marl. No. 5.—At the Depot, 125 cords of wood, red cedar posts and boards, 1000 high rails, cypress shingles, horse team wagon, harness, kindling wood, grindstone, sled, etc. See plan. Full particulars given and necessary papers shown by Charles E. French, at Berlin, N. J. Sale also on the premises, M. THOMAS & SONS, Auctioneers, Nos. 129 and 141 S. FOURTH STREET. 7 1/2 10 1/2 c

PUBLIC SALE.—THOMAS & SONS, AUCTIONEERS. Valuable business stand. Three-story brick store and dwelling, No. 616 South 11th street, Camden, New Jersey, 44 feet front. On Tuesday, July 18, 1899, at 12 o'clock, noon, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, the following described property:—A three-story brick building with two-story back building and lot of ground, situated at No. 615 S. Fifth street, Camden, New Jersey; the lot containing in front of Fifth street, 20 feet wide, extending in depth of that width 80 feet, then narrowing to 22 feet, and extending still farther in depth 100 feet.—The rear portion of the lot contains a stationary washstands, range, furnace, etc. Terms, \$4500 may remain on mortgage. Immediate possession. May be examined any day previous to sale. See view at the auction stand. M. THOMAS & SONS, Auctioneers, Nos. 129 and 141 S. FOURTH STREET. 7 1/2 10 1/2 c

STEAMBOAT LINES. FOR CAPE MAY. ON TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS, AND SATURDAYS. On and after SATURDAY, July 1, 1899, a new and splendid steamer LADY OF THE LAKE, Captain W. THOMPSON, will commence regular service on TUESDAY, THURSDAY, and SATURDAY MORNING at 9 o'clock, and returning on the following days: TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS, WEDNESDAYS, and SATURDAYS at 8 o'clock. Fare, including Carriage hire, \$2.25. Children, 50 cts. Season Tickets \$10.—Carriage hire extra. \$2.25. The LADY OF THE LAKE is a fine sea boat, has handsome state-room accommodations, and is fitted up with everything necessary for the safety and comfort of Passengers. Freight received until 8 1/2 o'clock. For further particulars inquire at the Office, No. 38 NORTH DELAWARE AVENUE. C. H. HUDDELL, 6 1/2 S. TACART. SUNDAY TRIPS UP THE DELAWARE. The splendid and commodious steamer EDWIN FORREST will leave ARCH STREET WHARF at 10 o'clock, on Monday, July 3, for Florence Heights, Kensington, at 9 o'clock A. M. for Florence Heights and White Hill touching each way at Bridgetown, Tacony, and Annapolis, leaving Philadelphia at 10 o'clock A. M. and 8 1/2 P. M., touching at Riverton, Torrens, Annapolis, and leaving Philadelphia at 10 o'clock A. M. and 8 1/2 P. M. Fare for the excursion, 40 cts. Excursion, 40 cts.

FOURTH OF JULY EXCURSION. The splendid steamer JOHN A. WARNER will leave ARCH STREET WHARF at 10 o'clock A. M. for Burlington and Bristol, leaving Chestnut street wharf, Philadelphia, at 10 o'clock A. M. and 3 o'clock P. M. and Megawog's wharf, Kensington, at 10 1/2 A. M. and 8 1/2 P. M., touching at Riverton, Torrens, Annapolis, and leaving Philadelphia at 10 o'clock A. M. and 8 1/2 P. M. Fare for the excursion, 40 cts. Excursion, 40 cts. FOURTH OF JULY EXCURSION TO TRENTON. The Steamboat EDWIN FORREST will make an excursion to Trenton on MONDAY, July 3, leaving ARCH STREET WHARF, Philadelphia, at 8 o'clock A. M. and Megawog's wharf, Kensington, at 9 1/2 o'clock A. M., stopping at Bridgetown, Tacony, Torrens, Annapolis, Beverly, Burlington, Bristol, Florence, Robbins, Wharf, and White Hill. Returning, leaves Trenton at 3 o'clock P. M. Fare for the excursion to Trenton, 50 cts.; intermediate places, 40 cts. SUNDAY TRIPS.—THE SPLENDID Steamboat JOHN A. WARNER will leave Philadelphia (Chestnut street wharf) at 10 o'clock A. M. for Burlington and Bristol, leaving Chestnut street wharf, Philadelphia, at 10 o'clock A. M. and 3 o'clock P. M. for Burlington and Bristol. Touching at Riverton, Annapolis, and leaving Philadelphia at 10 o'clock A. M. and 8 1/2 o'clock P. M. Fare, 25c. Excursion, 40c. 7 1/2 c

FOR WILMINGTON ON MONDAY, July 3. The steamer S. M. FELTON will leave Chestnut street wharf on MONDAY, at 8 1/2 A. M. for Wilmington, and returning there at 1 P. M., stopping at Chester and Hook each way. On this day the fare to Wilmington will be 20c.; Chester or Hook, 10c. The boat will also leave Chestnut street wharf at 3 1/2 P. M. DAILY EXCURSIONS TO BEVERLY, BURLINGTON, AND BRISTOL, by the steamboat JOHN A. WARNER, leaving Philadelphia, Chestnut street wharf, at 3 and 6 o'clock P. M. Returning, leave Bristol at 9 1/2 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. Stopping each way at Riverton, Torrens, Annapolis, Beverly, and Burlington. Fare 25c. Excursion, 40cts. FOR CHESTER, HOOK, AND WILMINGTON. The steamer ARIEL will leave CHESTNUT street wharf every morning (except Sunday) at 8 1/2 o'clock, and returning leave Wilmington at 1 o'clock. Fare to Chester or Hook, 10 cents; Wilmington, 20 cents. 7 1/2 c GLOUCESTER POINT.—GO YOURSELF and take the family to this cool, delightful spot. New steamers, with every comfort, leave SOUTH STREET 6 1/2 daily, every few minutes. 4 1/2 10 1/2 c

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DRY GOODS. PRICE & WOOD. N. W. CORNER EIGHTH and FILBERT. WHITE GOODS: WHITE GOODS: Swiss Muslins, Victoria Lawns, Raincoats, Ford-English Cambrics, Brillantes, Fiques, etc. Flaid and Plain Organzies. Flaid and Stripe Raincoats. Flaid and Stripe Swiss Muslins, etc. Shirred Muslins, 50, 65, 75, 81, 90 cents, and \$1 yard. Handsome Marcellines Quilts. Honeycomb and Jacquard Quilts. Colored Tulle for covering. Mosquito Netting, by the piece or yard. Table Linens, Napkins, and Towels. Bleached and Unbleached Muslins. Bargains in Ladies' and Gents' Hosiery and Gloves. Ladies' and Gents' Hdk's, plain and hemstitched. Ladies' Linen Collars and Cuffs. Hamburg Edgings and Insertings. Magic Ruffings, Coventry Ruffings. Marcelline Trimmings and Registered Edging. cheap. FANS: FANS: FANS: Fans very cheap. Linen Fans, Autograph Silk Fans, Japanese Fans and Palm Leaf Fans. 13 1/2 10 1/2 c

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